

USA BASEBALL 15U WEST TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS PHOENIX, ARIZONA JUNE 19, 2024 THROUGH June 24, 2023



The USA Baseball 15U West Team Championships are an invite only tournament held in MLB Spring Training facilities in Glendale, Goodyear and Peoria, Arizona, hosted by USA Baseball. The tournament is the primary identification events for players to be considered for the USA Baseball's 15U National Team and 16U National Team Development Programs. The best of the best in prep baseball come to Arizona each year for this tournament.

ELIGIBILITY players must be born on or after May 1 2008 OR have an expected graduation date of 2027 or later. Only players born January 1, 2009, or later are eligible for selection to the 15U National Team Training Camp and players born January 1, 2008 or later will be eligible to be selected to the 16U/17U National Team Development Program.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

Players should plan to arrive anytime on June 17. Players should feel free to schedule departing flights in the late afternoon or evening of June 24, or anytime thereafter. Please note team may be eliminated before June 24th.

SCHEDULE AND GAME PLAY (Schedule may change this is just a sample)

There are no opening festival or team competitions for this tournament. The tournament is a 5-game guarantee with up to 8 games max. No testing anymore with USA Baseball. Three days of pool play will be followed by bracket play, including a consolation bracket (meaning a minimum of two bracket games). A skill development day with the USA Baseball Task Force has been added to the schedule and will be on the third day of the event. There will be no games played on the skill development day.

Monday June 17 – Arrive AZ
Tuesday June 18 – Practice
Wednesday June 19 – Game 1 or 1 & 2 Pool play
Thursday June 20 – Game 2 & or 3 Pool play
Friday June 21 – Skills development day No games
Saturday June 22 – 32 Team Bracket Play, consolation
Sunday June 23 – Round of 8 or Consolation
Monday June 24 – Third place and Championship Game

HOTEL- All players and families will be required to stay with the team at the team hotel)

Hotel Information:

Residence Inn Tempe Downtown/University 510 S Forest Ave Tempe, AZ 85281 480-967-2300

- Check-in: 6/17 Check-out: 6/24
 - Start Date: Monday, June 17, 2024End Date: Monday, June 24, 2024
 - Last Day to Book: Monday, May 13, 2024
- Hotel(s) offering your special group rate:
 - Residence Inn Tempe Downtown/University for 118 USD 122 USD per night
 - Book your group rate for KADO TEAM 15U
- Check-in: 6/24 *** must select exact dates to utilize reservation link
 - Start Date: Wednesday, June 24, 2024
 - End Date: Sunday, June 25, 2024
 - Last Day to Book: Wednesday, May 13, 2024
- Hotel(s) offering your special group rate:
 - Residence Inn Tempe Downtown/University for 118 USD 122 USD per night
 - Book your group rate for KADO OVERLAPPING NIGHTS
- Reservation Questions:
 - Jessica Moore
 - **480-902-3983**
 - Jessica.moore2@marriott.com
 - Paige Worthy
 - **480-902-3984**
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There is little to do near the fields and the hotels are not cheaper than our discounted rate. All rooms include sofa beds, full kitchens and free breakfast. We conduct all team meetings and many team meals at the hotel for which attendance is mandatory.

TOURNAMENT COST

The total cost will be \$750 per player, payable to Donny Kadokawa via Check, Cash, Venmo Team Kado. A non-refundable deposit of \$350 is required to reserve your roster spot. The final payment will be due 30 days prior to the start of the event. The fee will include all games played. Please note we can't control the weather and if games get cancelled, we are not responsible for giving families refund for airfare, Hotel etc. Please make sure you read this clearly.

Uniforms- Players need to purchase uniforms if needed 2 tops \$85 for the set. Hats will be \$25 per hat. Players must provide Navy belt, Navy socks and White Pants. 2 pants are recommended at the least. Kado Practice Shirts and Shorts will be required for all Practices and School Visits while in AZ.

ROSTER

We will announce our roster on a rolling basis on our Kado Facebook Page once we get players committed. Once you get the email please respond ASAP if I don't here from you within 5 days we will send out the email to other players to fill the roster. Kado Baseball will try to put two teams at the 15u age entering this tournament.

REGISTRATION

Registration opens January 1,2024. Please register using the link provided if you are planning on attending the USA Baseball West National Championships. Please do not forward this email onto other players as we have selected names for the qualifying teams. If you have someone you would like to recommend, please email Donny@kadobaseball.com or call me at 808-699-4588

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please note we will hold your deposit and if for some reason we do not get two bids per age group and we have to refund you your money we will do so on Feb 13, 2024. We are not making any Guarantees until we figure out how many bids USA Baseball will be allowing us in 2024.

Please contact Donny Kadokawa at donny@kadobaseball.com if you have any questions or call 808-699-4588.